ST. MARY'S ORTHODOX CHURCH

75 YEARS

75TH ANNIVERSARY

of

THE PROTECTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY ORTHODOX CHURCH

— SAINT MARY'S ORTHODOX CHURCH —

1911 - 1986

PROTECTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY

We Orthodox people celebrate today Thy festival with great rejoicing,
O Mother of God, and beholding Thy Holy image we humbly appeal to thee:
Shelter and protect us under Thy Sacred veil, deliver us from all evil,
And pray with thy Son, Christ Our God, for the salvation of our souls.

Gary, Indiana
September 28, 1986

PRIMATE OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN AMERICA

THEODOSIUS

Archbishop of Washington
Metropolitan of All America and Canada

September 28, 1986

The Right Reverend Peter Rozdelsky
St. Mary's Orthodox Church
505 East 45th Avenue
Gary, Indiana 46409

Dear Father Peter and Parishioners:

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto Thy name, O Most High...O Lord how great are Thy works."

Together with you we raise our voices in thanksgiving to God Almighty and to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for all the gifts and blessings He has bestowed on your parish during these seventy-five years of growth and service. As we look back over the years and remember the joys, the sorrows, and the help we have received, we are reminded of the great feeling of awe and gratitude of the Psalmist as he pondered man and God's mercy to him.

A parish jubilee is always the occasion for thanksgiving and for rededication. It is also an opportunity for reminding ourselves that as a living unit of the Church of Christ, the parish lives only if it serves. Our Lord addressed His disciples and said, *"If anyone serves me, he must follow me; where I am, my servant will be. Whoever serves me will be honored by my Father."* (John 12:26)

I express gratitude to the Lord for His bountiful goodness toward us and for His protection. We also feel a deep debt of gratitude to the far-sighted founders and pastors who have labored and given of themselves in this section of the Lord's vineyard. We must reflect on the way in which we of this generation have received our heritage, and we look forward with hope to an even brighter future.

Also today, dear Father Peter, it is my personal joy and pleasure to be able to join your diocesan hierarch, His Grace, Bishop BORIS, as we together celebrate this joyous moment in the life and history of St. Mary's parish community. Truly, our Lord Jesus Christ will continue to bless and maintain all of your endeavors.

May the seventy-five years of your past be the foundation for an even more fruitful future.

With love in Christ,

+Theodosius

+THEODOSIUS
Archbishop of Washington
Metropolitan of All America
and Canada

HIS BEATITUDE THEODOSIUS
Archbishop of Washington
Metropolitan of All America and Canada
Primate of The Orthodox Church in America
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Right Reverend Peter Rozdelsky
St. Mary Orthodox Church
505 East 45th Avenue
Gary, IN 46409

Dear Father Peter and Parishioners of St. Mary's:

Your community church, officially named the Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church, but affectionately and commonly known and loved as St. Mary's Orthodox Church, has existed in time to celebrate seventy five years from its inception. As our Lady, the Statue of Liberty, celebrates her one hundredth birthday, so your church community celebrates, in the same year, her 75th Anniversary and birthday.

The Church, of course, is not just a building. You have had several buildings with the same name. But your Church is made up of the People of God, Orthodox Christians, including those of blessed memory as well as those living today, having in common "one faith, one baptism, one Lord" to constitute the Body of Christ, fitly united into one community at the head of which is Christ Himself, our Lord and our God.

There is one thing that makes "St. Mary's" unique. You have had only three pastors: Father Kedrovsky, who organized the parish and was its rector for almost a half century; Father Garklavs who served a short time, and Father Rozdelsky who has been with you for close to a quarter of a century. Three priests in a period of seventy five years. What made this possible? Certainly God's Will. But also, good priests and good people.

May our Lord continue to bless your goodness to which priests will "care" to come to serve for "many years".

Congratulations on your 75th Anniversary. To those who have passed on, we pray "eternal memory". To those of you who are now members, we pray God's blessings, mercy and love to all. I give each of you my archpastoral blessing.

In His Love,

+Boris

BORIS, Bishop of Chicago

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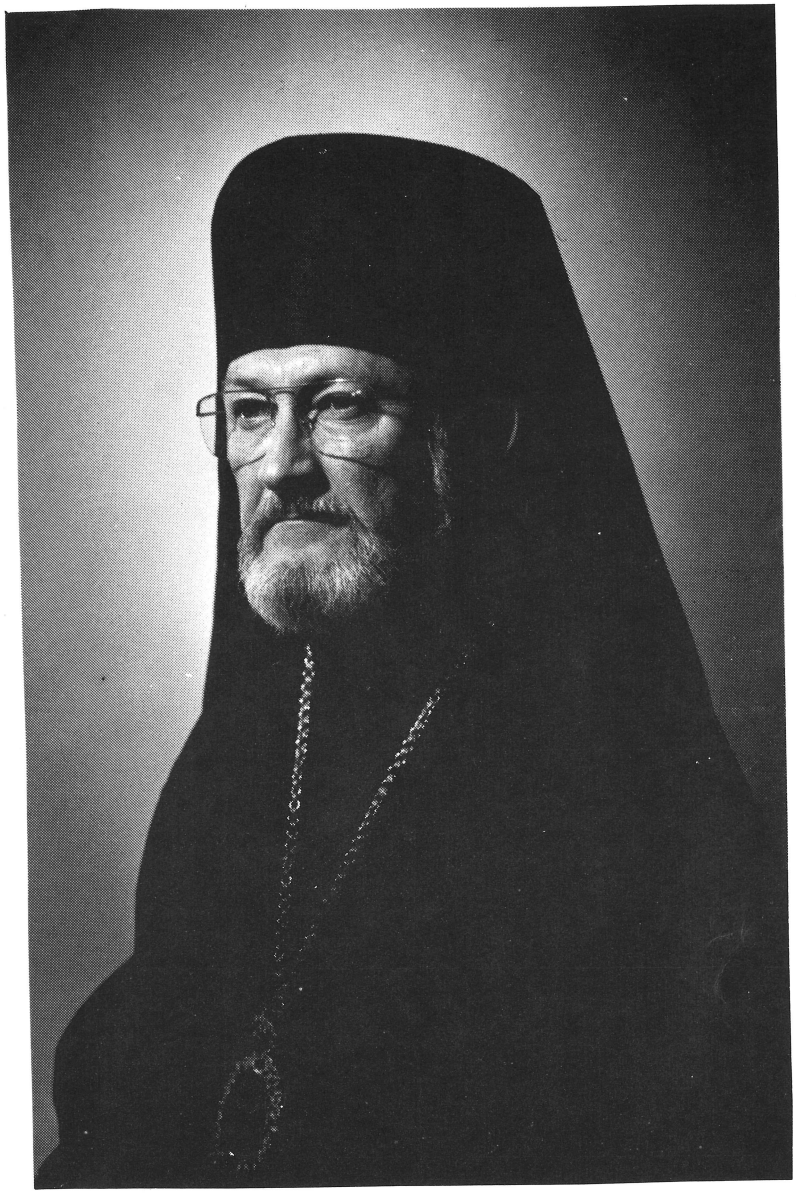
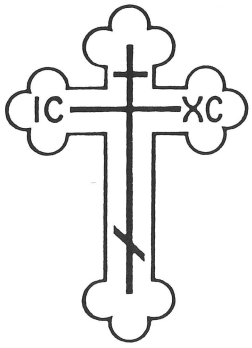


HIS GRACE BISHOP BORIS
Bishop of Chicago
Diocese of the Midwest

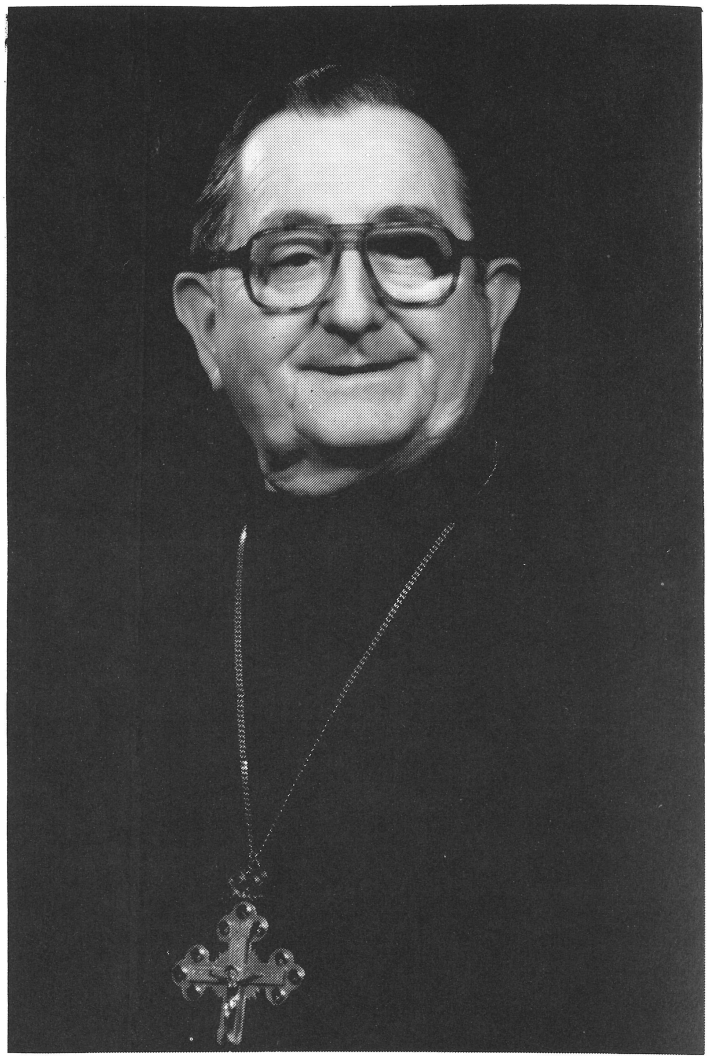


"We Orthodox people celebrate today, Thy festival with great rejoicing, O Mother of God..."

The Church sees in the Theotokos one who intercedes before her Son for all humanity. We ceaselessly pray to her to intercede for us before the throne of God. Love and Veneration for the Virgin is the very soul of Orthodox piety.

It is with this abiding love that seventy-five years ago our founding fathers and pioneers placed our parish under the Protection and guidance of the Theotokos. We are moved and inspired by the example of those who have gone before us! Subsequent generations have followed in their footsteps!

The enthusiasm and dedication which our parishioners have shown in support of our parish bears witness to the fact that the Orthodox Faith which our parents planted in our hearts has blossomed. The Church has become more than just a temple and physical landmark, it became a monument, a towering expression of deep faith; truly, a living and growing organism in Christ.



FATHER PETER

Let us, on this our Diamond Jubilee, keep, preserve and promote our precious Faith. Let us as a brilliant Gem continue to reflect the Light of Christ which is within us!

As we review the blessings God has granted us in abundance, we give thanks for the joy that fills our hearts, and we look to a peaceful and fruitful future for the Glory of God and for Holy Orthodoxy.

"Through the prayers of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us."

75 YEARS OF ORTHODOXY

The formation of the Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Gary, Indiana, on September 28, 1911, was the fruition of dedicated Orthodox Christian pioneers of Slavic ethnic heritage who had moved to the "Miracle City" on the southern tip of Lake Michigan in search of employment in the industrial complex created by a rapidly expanding steel industry that brought unprecedented economic growth to an area, which only a few years earlier, had been drifting dunes, marshland, and quaking bogs.

The first organizational meeting for the new parish was held in the home of Kondrat and Anna Krenitsky at 1632 Jackson Street, and in attendance at the meeting were Rev. Vladimir Alexandrov and Rev. John Gratson of Chicago's St. Michael's Church, Peter Romanyak, Michael Frentzko, Vasil Misko, Efrem Shevcik, Vasil Krochta, Kondrat Krenitsky, John Shevtchuk, and Timofey Lescisin. It was agreed by the participants that His Eminence, Platon, Archbishop of North America and the Aleutian Islands, be petitioned for a resident pastor for the infant parish.

A temporary pastor, the Rev. Jacob Korchinsky, was assigned by the local bishop, and since his arrival in Gary coincided with the feast day of the Protection of the Virgin Mary, the parish council placed the parish under Her protection and guidance. Services were first held at a location on the corner of 13th Avenue and Madison Street, but due to the lack of sufficient funds for rental and upkeep, the first Elder of the parish, Kondrat Krenitsky, provided a room in his home for religious services.

On November 22, 1911, the first permanent pastor of the parish, Rev. Benjamin Kedrovsky, arrived in Gary to assume full pastoral duties and was to shepherd his flock until 1957.

One of the first actions taken by the church elders was to establish a building committee, which purchased four lots on the northeast corner of 17th Avenue and Fillmore Street. At a parish council meeting held on June 9, 1912, the committee passed a resolution to erect a wooden church in the traditional Russian architectural design at the new location.

The new church, locally referred to as St. Mary's, was dedicated and consecrated on Sunday, September 8, 1912. His Grace, Bishop Alexander of New York, officiated at the consecration services, and Consul Shiskin of the Imperial Russian Consulate in Chicago was in attendance, representing the tsarist government.

With vigorous determination the young parish expanded. In 1914 a new parish rectory was constructed at 1675 Fillmore Street, and in 1919 a corporation of shareholders acquired the cemetery grounds on West Ridge Road, which the shareholders officially transferred to the parish on December 22, 1927. In 1922 the original wooden edifice was brick-veneered, the sanctuary remodeled, and a parish hall was constructed under the church.

By midcentury St. Mary's was firmly established due to the tireless efforts of Father Benjamin Kedrovsky, who not only administered to the sacramental needs of the flock, but he also found time to write a general history of St. Mary's parish entitled IN GOD'S FIELD, which was published in 1931 on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the church. Father Benjamin was elevated to the rank of Rt. Reverend by the Holy Synod of Bishops in 1951 and granted the honor of wearing the much coveted mitre, a distinguished honor for a member of the Orthodox clergy. In 1957 Father Sergei Garklavs was assigned as the assistant rector of St. Mary's, a position that he held until 1959, at which time, he assumed the ecclesiastical leadership of the parish on the retirement of Father Benjamin. On December 15, 1960, Father Sergei was transferred from the parish, and on Janurary 1, 1961, The Very Reverend Father Peter Rozdelsky was assigned as the resident rector, an office that he continues to hold. The year of Father Peter's arrival was a significant year for St. Mary's--a new rector, the dedication of a new church, and St. Mary's Golden Anniversary.

By 1956 St. Mary's had outgrown the 17th and Fillmore church edifice; therefore, the parish council vowed that a new church would be constructed and dedicated as the apex of the 50th anniversary festivities. A land search committee was established, pledges procured, and on May 24, 1959, with single-minded purpose, the congregation of the parish gathered at the new site, 505 East 45th Avenue, to erect a cross of the future home of a new temple of Orthodoxy.

The new church structure was to have been consecrated and dedicated on July 30, 1961, but the new marble altar table commissioned did not arrive. Undaunted, the parish council rescheduled the consecration services to concur with the 50th anniversary banquet on Sunday, October 15, 1961, and the Pontifical Divine Liturgy to be concelebrated by His Eminence, Metropolitan Leonty; His Eminence, Archbishop John, and the Very Rev. Peter Rozdelsky. Another problem occurred, and ultimately, the consecration was held on Monday, January 1, 1962, with His Eminence Archbishop John, officiating.

With the new church consecrated, the next major task was to retire the mortgage on church properties as soon as possible. Leavened with the spirit of the pioneering ancestors, the parishioners faithfully fulfilled their pledges and with great pride retired the debt at a formal mortgage burning ceremony on October 17, 1965.

But the grand vision of an Orthodox Complex at 45th Avenue was still far from complete. Though the owner of two small rectories, one occupied by Pastor Emeritus Father Benjamin and Matushka Julia Kedrovsky, the other by Father Peter and Matushka Ann Rozdelsky and family, the parish at an annual meeting voted to construct a larger, modern rectory at 500 East 46th Avenue, directly south of the church. By August 1, 1969, the new rectory was constructed, furnished, and ready for occupancy. The final phase of our building project had been realized.

Needless to say, a parish history is not just a record of bricks and mortar. During the past twenty-five years, St. Mary's has participated in many Orthodox programs at the deanery, diocesan, and national levels.

Church school teachers, under the leadership and direction of Father Peter and Church School Superintendents Michael Grisak and Nicholas Danko, Jr., attended many church school conferences. Two of the more significant conferences were held in Chicago. In 1963 The Midwest District Church School Teachers Conference was held at the University of Chicago Center for Continuing Education, and the principal speakers were Very Rev. Father John Meyendorff and Mrs. Sophie Koulomzin. In 1978 conferees attended the Institute for Studies in Orthodox Christianity at Holy Trinity Cathedral, a conference co-sponsored by the Chicago Deanery, the Diocese of the Midwest, and the Orthodox Church in America.

Annually, the Northwest Indiana Clergy Association sponsors a Lenten Lecture Series. In 1969 St. Mary's was the host church for the series. Mother Alexandra, the former Princess Illeana of Romania, an Orthodox nun and Head of the Transfiguration Monastery in Ellwood City, Pennsylvania, was the major presenter.

Historically, the 57th anniversary festivities held in 1968 were of special magnitude. Saturday evening the General Platoff Don Cossack Chorus and Dancers performed in the Orthodox Center, and on Sunday, October 13, following the Divine Liturgy, Father Alexander Schmemann, Dean of St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary, blessed the newly acquired chandelier that hangs in the nave of the church.

St. Mary's parishioners have always been generous in support of worthy Orthodox causes and projects. One of the projects supported monetarily by the parish was a fundraiser to construct a permanent shrine in San Francisco for the Miraculous Ikon, The Holy Virgin of Kazan. On October 31, 1963, the Ikon was brought to the church for veneration by the faithful. Father Rozdelsky and the local Orthodox clergy officiated at a Molieben Service commemorating the event.

In 1970, when His Eminence, Archbishop John, requested the Chicago-Minneapolis Diocese to host a benefit for the acquisition of the Diocesan Center at Hinsdale, Illinois, St. Mary's promptly volunteered in conjunction with other diocesan churches to hold a Russian Day Benefit at the Orthodox Center on July 26. A few years later, when the reorganized Diocese of the Midwest had outgrown the existing facilities, members of St. Mary's pledged additional support for a Diocesan Expansion Program. When His Grace, Bishop Boris, requested financial support for the ministry of Mother Elizabeth in the Greater Chicago area, once again, St. Mary's was one of the first to respond.

St. Mary's as a parish of the Orthodox Church in America has been a witness to the evolution of the Russian Orthodox Greek Catholic Church into an American Orthodox Church. On August 9, 1970, the first Orthodox Saint of America, The Righteous Father Herman of Alaska, was canonized at impressive and historic services in Kodiak, Alaska, which commemorated 175 years of Orthodoxy in America. Gene Adamczyk, St. Mary's Choirmaster, participated in the canonization services as an Orthodox pilgrim.

In 1977 at the 5th All American Council held in Montreal, Canada, His Beatitude, Metropolitan Ireney, who had made a canonical visit to our parish in 1971, retired as the ruling hierarch of the church for health reasons, and the Holy Synod of Bishops elected His Grace Theodosius, Bishop of Pittsburgh and West Virginia, as Metropolitan of All America and Canada. During the proceedings of the Council, official notification was received from the Holy Synod of Russia that Bishop Innocent, a 19th century pioneering priest and the first ruling Bishop of Alaska, had been canonized as the second American Saint of the Orthodox Church.

Our own Midwest Diocese received a new Bishop in 1978. Upon the retirement of His Eminence, Archbishop John, who had served as ruling Bishop of the area for twenty-two years, the OCA Holy Synod of Bishops elected Archimandrite Boris T. Geeza as Bishop of Chicago and the Midwest.

The parish also suffered personal losses during the last quarter century. Pastor Emeritus, Father Benjamin Kedrovsky, passed away in November 1968, and Matushka Julia Kedrovsky died in December 1975. In April 1982, His Eminence, Archbishop John, who had retired from his episcopal duties, was called to God. Protodeacon Roman (Raymond) Svihra, who was born in Gary and had completed his theological studies at St. Vladmir's Theological Seminary, fell asleep in the Lord on Sunday, October 14, 1984. Protodeacon Roman had served the Church in the Diocese of New York and the Diocese of the South.

On a more joyful note, two other parishioners from St. Mary's dedicated their lives to the service of the Church. In 1983 Father Theodore Panchak was ordained to the Holy Priesthood upon the completion of his studies at St. Vladimir's. On July 19, Father Theodore concelebrated the Divine Liturgy at St. Mary's and was honored at a social hour in the Orthodox Center at the conclusion of the service. David Cochran, abandoning a program of studies at Ball State University, enrolled as a seminarian at St. Tikhon's Orthodox Theological Seminary in the fall of 1984.

As we celebrate our Diamond Jubilee, Father Rozdelsky observes his Silver Anniversary as Rector of St. Mary's Orthodox Church. In 1968, Father Peter and Matushka Ann commemorated their 25th wedding anniversary and Father's 25th year of ordination. During his spiritual leadership of the parish, Father Peter has been active in the ecclesiastical and administrative affairs of the Chicago-Minneapolis Diocese. He has served as Dean of the Chicago Deanery, Chancellor of the Chicago-Minneapolis Diocese, member of the Metropolitan Council, member of the Diocesan Council, and as Dean of the Northwest Indiana Orthodox Clergy Association. In 1957, Father Rozdelsky was elevated to the rank of archpriest and awarded the gold jeweled pectoral cross in 1967. In 1972 Father Peter was again honored by the Holy Synod of Bishops when he was granted the privilege of wearing the mitre. NA MNOGAYA LETA!

As we conclude this chronicle of 75 years of Orthodoxy, we pray for the "ever-memorable founders of his holy house," and ask that God grant us another 75 years of service to the Orthodox Church.

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Let Thy Mercy, O Lord, Be Upon Us As We Have Set Our Hope On Thee!

IN MEMORIAM

We were deeply saddened by the death of William Hurey. William was serving as President of our Parish Council and Co-chairman of the 75th Anniversary Committee at the time of his death. We appreciate all that he had done through his love for our church.
May his memory be eternal!

William Hurey at the last working session of the Anniversary Committee Heads.

ST. MARY'S 1986 PARISH COUNCIL

Back Row - Sonia Leskow, William Baker, William Malovance, Gerald Christoff, Kenneth Shaffer, Dennis Orenchick, Boris Christoff, Olga Atzhorn. **Front Row** - Ann Tokash, Josephine Chestovich, William Hurey, Father Peter, Lona Cochran, Andrea Natale, Janice Barancyk, JoAnn Dorroll. **Not Pictured** - Frederick Saporsky, Peter Shakula.

Congratulations to our St. Mary's Orthodox Church on its 75th Anniversary

From the 1986 Parish Council

President ..... William Hurey
Vice President ..... Gerald Christoff
Treasurer ..... Janice Barancyk
Assistant Treasurer ..... Dennis Orenchick
Secretary ..... Sonia Leskow
Assistant Secretary ..... Ann Tokash

Committee Persons

Kenneth Shaffer
Olga Atzhorn
William Malovance
Lona Cochran
JoAnn Dorroll
Boris Christoff
Andrea Natale
Fred Saporsky

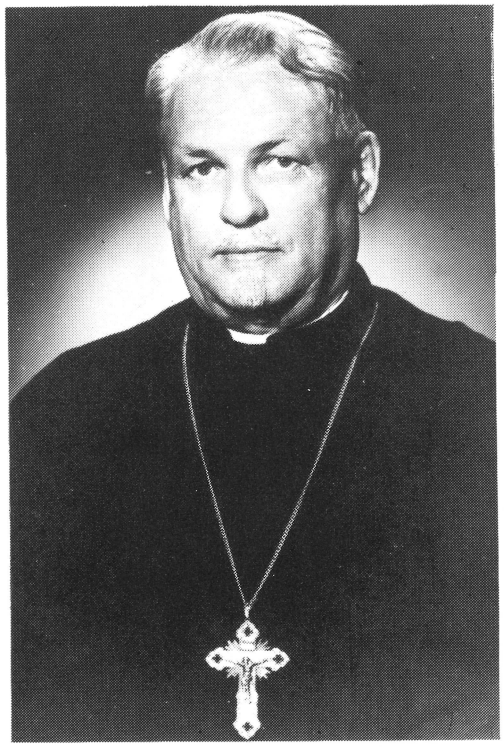
Joshephine Chestovich

Church Cemetery Superintendent ..... William Baker
Cemetery Financial Secretary ..... Peter John Shakula

OUR PASTORS

Rev. James Korchinsky
Non-Residential Pastor
September 1911 to November 1911
(Photo Not Available)

Right Rev. Mitered Archpriest
Peter Rozdelsky
1961 -



Right Rev. Mitered Archpriest
Benjamin Kedrovsky
Pastor 1911 - 1957
Pastor Emeritus 1957 - 1968

Very Rev. Sergei Garklavs
Assistant Pastor 1957 - 1959
Pastor 1959 - 1960

OUR DIAMOND JUBILEE STAR

Bertha Kowal and Father Peter

Bertha Kowal is the only surviving founder of our parish.

We are grateful to the Lord to have Bertha with us on this, our Diamond Jubilee, and we pray God to grant her MANY YEARS!

25 YEARS OF SERVICE TO ST. MARY'S

1961 1986

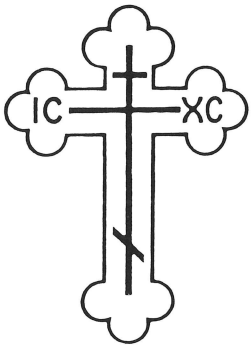
Matushka Ann, Nick, Father Peter

A SPECIAL OCCASION

Maryann, Matushka Ann, Nick, Father Peter, Rosalie

SONS OF ST. MARY'S

Protodeacon Roman (Raymond) Svihra

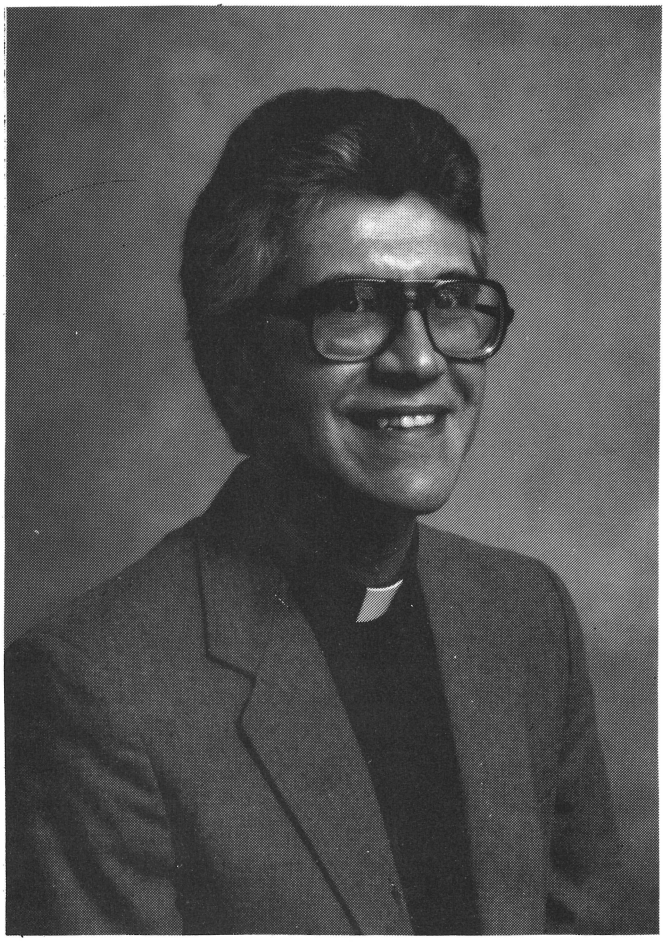


IN MEMORIAM

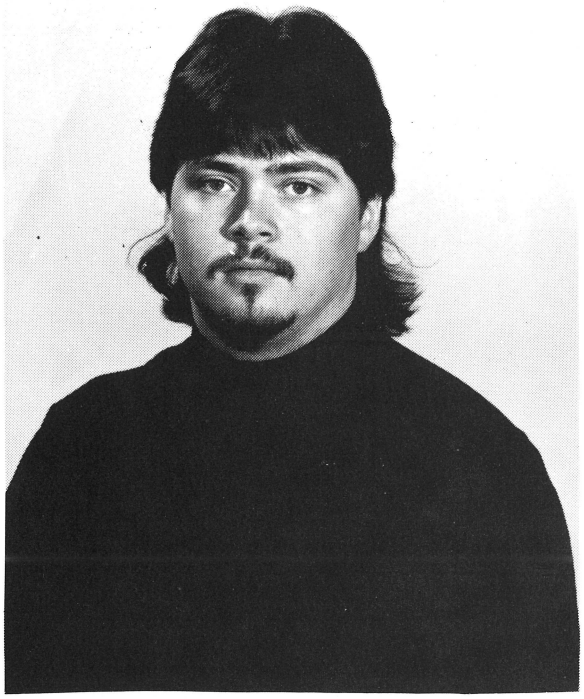
Protodeacon Roman Svihra studied at St. Tikhon and St. Vladimir's Seminaries. Ordained into the Diaconate, he served as Deacon for His grace Dimitri, Bishop of Hartford and New England and later as Protodeacon for His Grace Dimitri, Bishop of Dallas and the South. Protodeacon Roman fell asleep in the Lord on October 14, 1984. MEMORY ETERNAL!

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR LORD

Following a career in teaching, Father Theodore elected to enter St. Vladimir's Theological Seminary to study for the priesthood. Upon completion of the Seminary, Father Theodore was ordained and subsequently assigned to the Nativity of the Holy Theotokos Mission in Charlotte, North Carolina, Diocese of the South.



Father Theodore Panchak



Seminarian Paul David Cochran

David is a third-year student at St. Tikhon Theological Seminary. He is also a student at Marywood College in Scranton, Pennsylvania. David is serving as president of the Orthodox Inter-Seminary Movement. Born in Lake Station, Indiana, he is active as reader and Choir member of our parish.

Altar Boys

Dan Czapko, Eric Mosak, Father Peter, Joseph Exl, William Harbison, Randy King.

Church Choir

Back Row: Robert Tokash, Marge Stodola, Ann Thomas, George Barney, Father Peter, William Malovance, Janice Barancyk, Olga Cidylo, Eileen Danko, Tom Mosak. **Front Row:** RoseMarie Barancyk, Vera Malovance, Linda Teets, Emma Makarewicz, Karen Darosky, Lorice Dugan, Gene Adamczyk (Director), Lona Cochran, Andrea Natale, Olga Atzhorn, Kathy Denby. **Members not present:** Nicholas Rozdelsky, Michael Grisak, Sophie Rosco, Mary Mullins.

ST. MARY'S SODALITY

Back row: Mary Sovich, Josephine Chestovich, Mary Smith, Mary Kuzma, Martha Svihra, Marie Barney, Father Peter, Lona Cochran, Ann Kren, Ann Svihra, Mary Swalla, Ann Shaffer, Pauline Czarnecki, Emma Makarwich. **Front Row:** Rose Marie Barancyk, Vera Malovance, Irene Adams, Luba Christoff, Lillian Green, Olga Atzhorn, Veronica Ponzo, Bertha Kowal, Matushka Ann Rozdelsky, Julia Chicos. **Members not present:** Nadja Ptucha, Nadja Titow, Ann Benka, Mary Danchi, Mary Goodyear, Betty Kane, Sophie Korzow, Helen Kolarik, Olga Kiwak, Marge Lash, Helen Malis, Alice Radivan, Helene Stupar.

The St. Mary's Sodality is an auxiliary organization of The Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church. It was organized in the early forties and is composed of a group of women of the Parish dedicated to promote the love of their church and to express this love by responding to its various needs and requirements. The Sodality members meet the second Tuesday of each month.
They provide the following:

a) Purchase clergy and altar boy robes and table coverings.
b) Do annual spring cleaning of the church before Easter.
c) Cater for memorial luncheons.
d) Cater for Parish picnics, Maslenitsa dinners and teas during Great Lent.
e) Provide floral decorations for Our Parish Patron Saint Day, Christmas and Easter.
f) Make contributions to our Seminaries, and assist local Parish seminarians, O.C.A. projects, Diocesan Projects, Parish Projects, etc.
g) Contribute to help defray fuel expenses.

The Sodality raises is funds for the above projects through the sale of perohi.

OFFICERS

Olga Atzhorn - President
Lillian Green - Vice President
Mary Goodyear - Secretary
Veronica Ponzo - Treasurer
Matushka Rozdelsky - Welfare Chairman
Mary Sovich - Social Chairman

GARY "R" CLUB

The following excerpt was taken from *SAINT MARY'S SUNDAY BULLETIN* dated Sunday, September 7, 1947.

Telegram: The following telegram was sent to the FROC from our AROYA Convention: "It is in a spirit of mutual cooperation for our common cause that we send you this greeting announcing the dissolving of the AROYA to join the FROC... May the good Lord guide our combined experience and efforts to render greater service to the future American Orthodox Church."

The *SUNDAY BULLETIN* on September 21, 1947 wrote: WORD FROM THE F.R.O.C. - We learn that the telegram sent the F.R.O.C. National Convention in New York from the AROYA Convention was received with great enthusiasm. Our young people are now joined into one national organization - A STEP FORWARD.

Thus the Gary "R" Club received their charter to become Chapter #161 of the Midwest District of the National Federated Russian Orthodox Clubs. Father Benjamin Kedrovsky was instrumental to our receiving this charter.

The FROC's programs and activities are centered around their motto, "Pray, Study, Toil, Be Temperate."

Within our own "R" club we have members active in our parish activities, including serving as officers and members of the parish council, singing in the choir, acting as readers and teaching in the church school program. We have had several members active on the District level as Officers and committee people.

The "R" Club was responsible for starting the Church School Program and purchasing the supplies needed at that time. We also furnished the equipment such as dishes, pots and pans for our Orthodox Center, besides making donations to our parish throughout the year and always helping whenever and whatever is needed to be done. We also do the decorating of the church at Christmas.

Not only do we help in our local parish, but we make donations to a United Fund Drive held on the National level each year. That fund is then divided into several categories such as the Scholarship Fund (a few of our members have received scholarships), the three Seminaries (St. Tikhon, St. Vladimir and St. Herman), Missions, the Russian Orthodox Journal (magazine) and the Alaska Orthodox Project.

We will be sponsoring the Midwest District bowling Tournament in October after being busy helping plan our 75th anniversary celebration.

We have 43 members at this time and hope we can interest others to join us. We have meetings once a month, either at our center or at a member's home in conjunction with a social get-together.

PRAY STUDY TOIL BE TEMPERATE ONE FOR ALL ALL FOR ONE

Parent Teacher Council and Church School Children

From left to right: 1st row - Eric Mosak, Joshua Shendrick, Christopher Shendrick, Christopher Christoff, Jeff Svihra and Randy King. **2nd row -** Cindy Christoff, Lori Dugan, Andrea Natale, Ann Tokash, Lona Cochran, Micki Mosak, Barbara Denby, Mary Czapko, Matushka Ann Rozdelsky, Julia Chicos. **3rd row -** Eileen Danko, Nick Danko, Paul Natale, Bob Tokash, Tom Mosak, Heather Cochran, Father Peter Rozdelsky, Cathy Denby, Willie Harbison, Gerry Christoff, Dan Czapko**Members not present:** Jennifer Lewis, Christine Sikora, Anne Sikora, Patricia Sikora:

The St. Mary's Orthodox Parent Teacher Council was organized in September of 1954. The first meeting was held on October 3, 1954. The following officers were elected: Helen Mason, President; Ann Centenni, Vice President; Luba Christoff, Secretary; Martha Rogers, Treasurer; Madge Panchak, Membership Chairman; Mary Sovich, Ways and Means Chairman.

The organization adopted the following objectives:

To promote the welfare of children and youth in church, school, home and community.

To help raise the standards of home life.

To bring into closer relation the church, school and home so that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child.

To develop between the teachers and members of the parish such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantage in spiritual, cultural, physical and social education.

To sponsor various money raising enterprises for the purpose of providing the church school with books, supplies and all necessary materials.

To encourage the members of this organization to be active on the teaching staff of our Church School.

The present officers are: Matushka Ann Rozdelsky, President; Lona Cochran, Vice Chairman; Andrea Natale, Secretary; Cynthia Christoff, Treasurer.

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28 September 1986

The Right Reverend Peter Rozdelsky
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Dear Father Peter:

Congratulations to you Father, Parish Council Members, and all devoted parishioners of St. Mary's Orthodox Parish as you celebrate the 75th Anniversary.

St. Mary's Parish organized by your Fathers 75 years ago, is a good torch of Holy Orthodoxy, nourishing the faithful of our Holy Church, announcing the truth of Christ to the surrounding non-Orthodox world, educating the young generation in the Faith of their Fathers.

May St. Mary's Parish flourish and grow stronger for many years to the Glory of God and the benefit of our Orthodox Church in America.

On behalf of myself and your brother clergy of the Chicago Deanery, our prayers and best wishes are extended to you, your family, and the parishioners of St. Mary's Parish.

Sincerely yours,
with love in Jesus Christ,

O. Mironowicz

Archpriest Oleg Mironowicz, Dean
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75th Anniversary Committee

First Row: Ann Tokash, Julie Wolek, William Hurey (deceased), Father Peter Rozdelsky, Lona Cochran, Rosemarie Barancyk, Vera Malovance, Martha Rogers. **Second Row:** Olive Leskow, Cynthia Christoff, Olga Atzhorn, Eileen Danko, Gene Adamczyk, William Barancyk, Jack Cochran, Mickie Mosak, Janice Barancyk, Sonia Leskow Matushka Rozdelsky.

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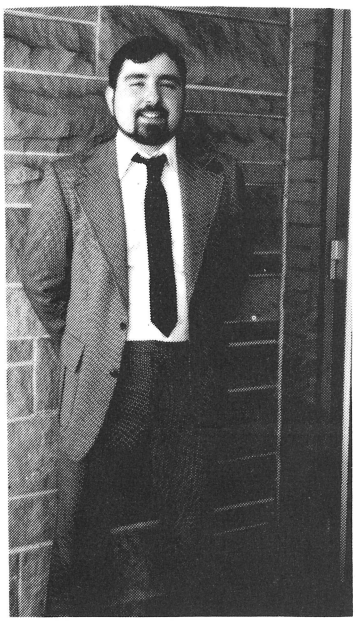

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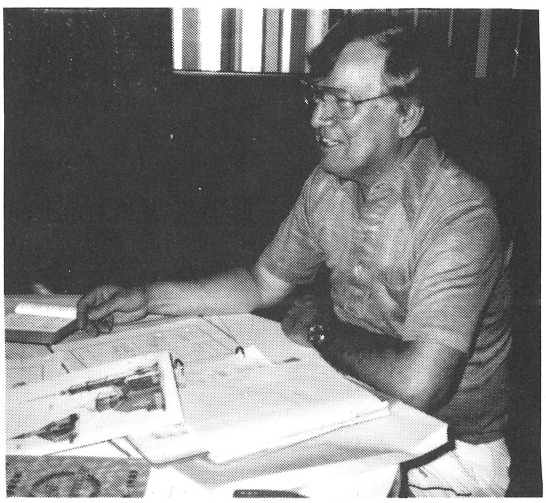

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Procession (Protection Tropar) ..... Assembly
National Anthem ..... Assembly
Lord's Prayer ..... Assembly
Invocation ..... His Beatitude, The Most Blessed THEODOSIUS
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Welcome and Introduction of Toastmaster ..... William Barancyk
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Benediction ..... His Beatitude, Metropolitan
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MENU

Soup Du Jour

Garden Salad

Roast Sirloin of Beef Bordelaise

Green Beans Almondine

Glazed Carrots

Parslied Potatoes

Rolls & Butter

Strawberry Parfait

Coffee, Tea

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

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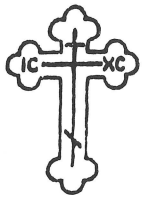

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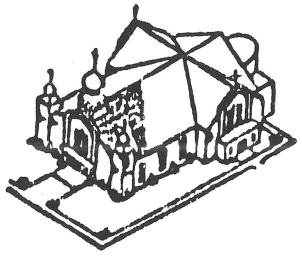

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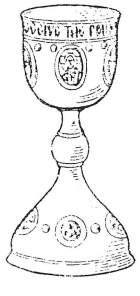

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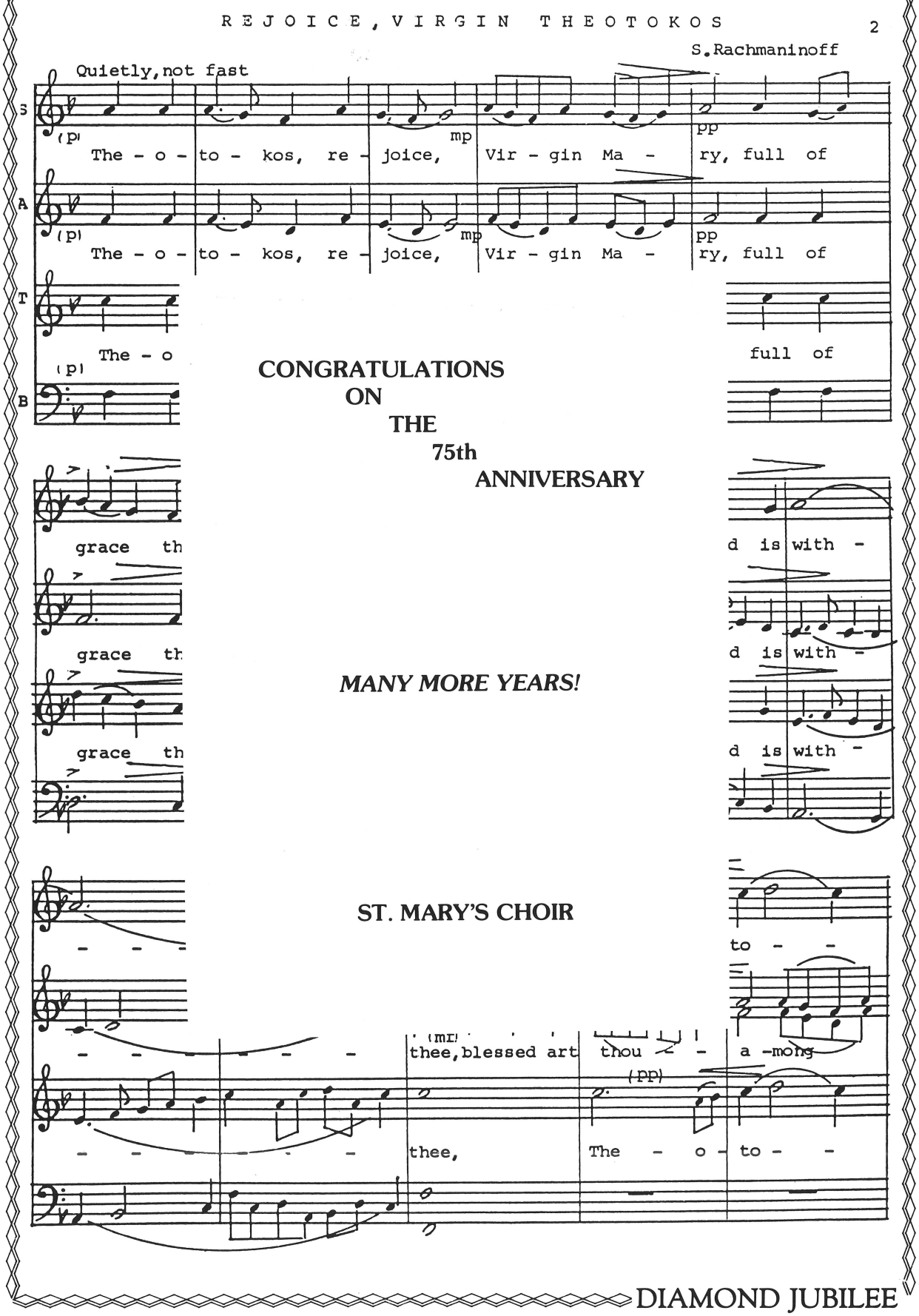
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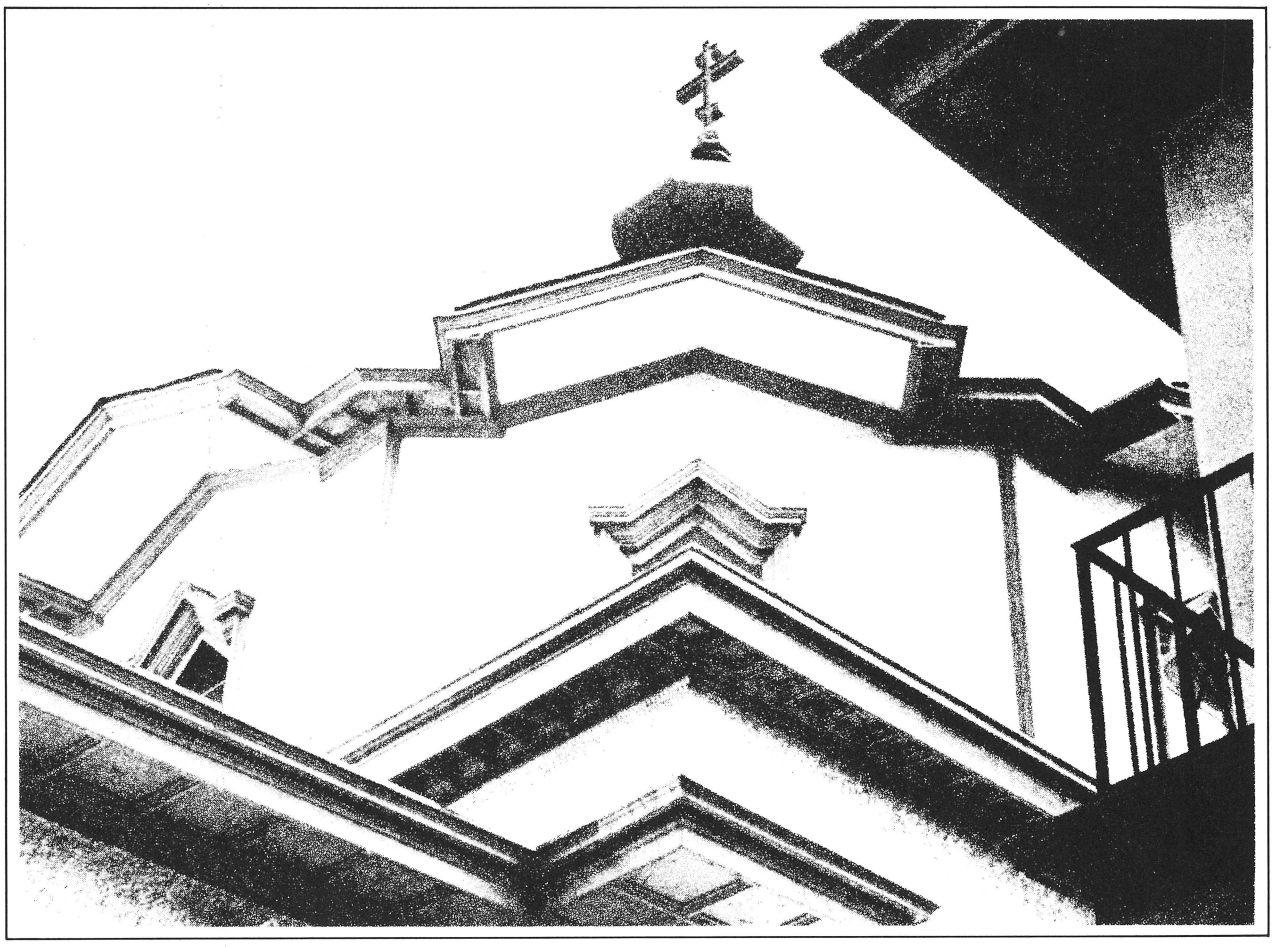

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